

111TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# S. 3609

To extend the temporary authority for the performance of medical disability examinations by contract physicians for the Department of Veterans Affairs.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 19, 2010

Mr. AKAKA introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

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## A BILL

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. EXTENSION OF AUTHORITY FOR PERFORM-**  
4                       **ANCE OF MEDICAL DISABILITY EXAMINA-**  
5                       **TIONS BY CONTRACT PHYSICIANS.**

6       Section 704(c) of the Veterans Benefits Act of 2003  
7       (Public Law 108–183; 38 U.S.C. 5101 note) is amended  
8       by striking “December 31, 2010” and inserting “Decem-  
9       ber 31, 2012”.